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A Remarkable Case.

A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western Continent. *

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanit-plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

DR. JAMES, Broughton St., opposite Council Chambers, can be consulted daily. Of nearly 50 years' extensive practice in England, America, and Australia. He extracts polypus and cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. Dr. James is the discoverer of a medicine which cures all LOCAL RHEUMATIC PAINS AS SOON AS APPLIED. DR. JAMES is in possession of medicines that never failed to stop and cure DIPTHERIA, SMALLPOX, CROUP and all FEVERS in a few hours. N. B.—Mrs. James, midwife of long experience and successful practice in this city, is open to engagement.

PEACE PROCLAIMED.—After ten years of active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded curtains and clothing restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, next door to Reynolds' butcher shop. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work. *

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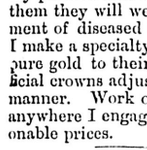
Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets. Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE
—EFFECTED BY—
California Elastic Truss!



CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO., W. J. Horne Proprietor—Dear Sir: I feel that I owe it to you and to humanity to write the fact that I have been *SUBSTANTIALLY CURED* of a bad case of rupture of thirty years' standing, by one of your incomparable Trusses, which I purchased from you three months ago. I cannot describe the suffering, both physically and mentally, that I have undergone during that period; and now I feel like a new being. I have worn all kinds of Trusses, both Steel and Elastic, and never received any permanent relief until I tried yours. Its simplicity of construction, and facility with which it can be adjusted, and the ease and perfect freedom to the motions of the body with which it can be worn without causing any irritation, are its chief merits, and it is a perfect supporter. I have not had any sign of a return of the rupture since the first day I put it on and feel that I am *PERFECTLY CURED*. It is invaluable, and the fact should be known to the world. You can refer anyone to me on the subject of its merits. I am truly yours, ALFRED J. BURKE,
Chief Mail Clerk S. F. Daily Evening Post.
San Francisco, July 20, 1878.
Send for Illustrated Catalogue and Price List.
CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO.
720 Market Street, San Francisco. oc4dw

VICTORIA FLOUR MILLS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED BUNster's Flour Mill, on Johnson street, will be prepared to
GRIND "CHOP" FOR CUSTOMERS
On Monday, the 21st inst., and after the 1st of November invite farmers and others having Wheat to grind to favor him with a trial.
WM. SPOFFORD.
Victoria, Oct. 18, 1878. oc18

NOTICES.

LD. LOWENBERG,
REAL ESTATE AGENT
GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON,

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. del

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia---In Chancery.

Between FREDERICK REYNOLDS, by his next friend ALEXANDER HOLMES, Plaintiff,
AND
JOB BATCHELOR, Defendant.

SATURDAY, the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1878.

UPON READING THE BILL OF COMPLAINT filed in this cause on the 23rd day of November 1878, and upon reading the several affidavits of Alexander Holmes, John Chapman Davie, Nathaniel Mitchell and James Dudgeon, and upon hearing Mr. Robertson as of counsel for the plaintiff, I do order that a writ of injunction do issue out of this Honorable Court to restrain the defendant from further proceeding in the action now pending in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, wherein the present Defendant, is Plaintiff and the present Plaintiff is Defendant on the promissory notes mentioned in the Bill of Complaint, until the hearing of this cause, and to restrain the Defendant, his servants or agents, from interfering with the Plaintiff, his servants or agents, in the conduct of the Plaintiff's business, and from interfering with the Plaintiff's property or any part thereof.
And I do further order and appoint Robert Paterson Rithet and Alexander Holmes to carry on the Plaintiff's business of a wholesale and retail butcher for and on behalf of the Plaintiff, and to do all matters and things which may be necessary for the protection and preservation of the Plaintiff's property until the further order of this Court.
With liberty to all parties to apply.

L.S. (Signed) HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE, J.

(ENDORSED.) SUPREME COURT.
Reynolds v. Batchelor.—Order for Injunction.

TAKE NOTICE that the Writ of Injunction will be drawn up and served on Monday next.
THEODORE DAVIE,
no24 Plaintiff's Solicitor.

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY GIVEN MY POWER OF Attorney to my nephew Job Batchelor, who will in future carry on my business of whatever nature, and no other person is authorized to collect any accounts or to transact any business in my name without his order. F. REYNOLDS.
WITNESS—T. G. Askew.
Nov. 18th, 1878.

WITH REFERENCE TO THE ABOVE I BEG to say that the Power of Attorney formerly held by Alexander Holmes and R. P. Rithet, Esq., has been revoked.
no22 JO. BATCHELOR

NOTICE.

WITH REFERENCE TO STATEMENTS MADE by Job Batchelor to the effect that he holds a Power of Attorney from Mr. FRED'K REYNOLDS to transact business in his name, and that he (the said Job Batchelor) has revoked the Power of Attorney heretofore held by Mr. R. P. Rithet and the undersigned, I beg to state that Mr. R. P. Rithet and the undersigned are duly authorized by Power of Attorney to transact all business in Mr. Reynolds' name; and that that power has not been revoked by him.
All persons are hereby cautioned against having any transactions with the said Job Batchelor on account of Fred'k Reynolds, as the same will not be recognized by his lawful attorneys.
ALEX. HOLMES.
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1878. no22

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BENCH of Licensing Magistrates will sit at the new City Hall, Douglas street, on the 16th of December proximo, at One o'clock p. m., for the purpose of granting new Retail Liquor Licenses, or Transfers of Licenses for the ensuing six months, applications for which must be handed to the City Clerk 14 days before the said day of sitting.
WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, Nov. 21, 1878. no22

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION.

SHUSWAP MILLING CO., LIMITED LIABILITY.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, WILLIAM BELL Wilson, John Andrew Mara, James McIntosh, and John T. Ussher, of the Town of Kamloops, in the Province of British Columbia, do hereby certify as follows:—
1. That we have formed a Company, and are desirous of incorporating the same under the provisions of the "Companies Act, 1878."
2. The said Company shall be known as the "Shuswap Milling Company, Limited Liability."
3. The objects for which the Company is ormed are the purchase of logs and timber, and the manufacture and sale of lumber, the purchase of wheat and other kinds of grain, and the manufacture and sale of flour, bran, shorts and other produce of a grist mill, the breeding and purchase of hogs and the preparation and sale of hams and bacon, and generally such other business as is commonly carried on in connection with a saw-mill and flour-mill.
4. The capital stock of the Company shall be thirty thousand dollars, in three hundred shares of one hundred dollars each.
5. The said Company shall continue in existence for five (5) years.
6. The business of the Company shall be conducted for the first three months after the incorporation thereof by three Trustees, that is to say—by John Andrew Mara, James McIntosh and William B. Wilson.
7. The principal place of business of the said Company shall be at the town of Kamloops, in the Electoral District of Yale in British Columbia.
8. A stockholder in the above named Company shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the said Company, and shall not incur any further liability than the payment of his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) of assessments legally levied in accordance with the provisions of the "Companies Act, 1878," and the charges thereon, if such shares shall be advertised as delinquent, during the time that he was a stockholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the said Company. Assessments and charges when taken collectively shall not exceed in the aggregate the par or face value as printed or shown in dollars upon each share when issued.
Dated this Seventh day of September, A. D. 1878.
W. B. WILSON.
J. A. MARA,
JAS. McINTOSH,
JOHN T. USSHER
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ON HING
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS
BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS.
HAS REMOVED
TO JOHNSON STREET, ONE DOOR EAST OF EASTMAN'S BUTCHER SHOP.
Manufactures DRAWERS, UNDERSHIRTS, OVERALLS, Etc., which he offers for sale by wholesale and retail, at low rates. de11

TO BUTCHERS, FARMERS, ETC.
HIDES.

THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID BY the undersigned for Hides in good order:
GREEN HIDES 7 CENTS PER LB.
GREEN CALF SKINS 8 TO 10 CTS. PER LB.
Delivered on the Wharf at Victoria.
W. HEATHORN,
au21 Victoria Boot and Shoe Manufactory

REMOVAL.
MR. JOHN TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT
HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO
GOVERNMENT STREET, BELOW FORT,
Opposite the Hook and Ladder House.

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

BARQUE "ANTIOCH."

NEITHER CAPTAIN W. B. SEYMORE NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd Dec, 1878.
de4 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

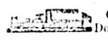
FOR YALE & WAY PORTS TWICE A WEEK.

THE SPLENDID STEAMER
ERLIANCE,
A. INSLEY, MASTER,
Will sail for Yale every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY Morning.
And returning will leave Yale every MONDAY and FRIDAY Morning, until further notice.
de5

FOR SAN FRANCISCO
CARRYING H.M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO'S EXPRESS

THE FIRST-CLASS SIDE WHEEL S. S.
DAKOTA,
MORSE, CAPTAIN.
Will sail from Esquimalt Harbor on
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10th,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,
All freight and baggage for her must be on the wharf at VICTORIA BY MONDAY AT 5 P. M.
For Freight or Passage apply to
de6 ENGELHARDT & CO., AGENTS.

CHANGE OF SAILING DAYS.



ON AND AFTER THE FIRST OF December prox. the steamer
ISABEL,
CARRYING H. M. MAILS, W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS, PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT,
Will leave Victoria for Port Townsend at FIVE a. m. on Mondays and Thursdays, returning on the same days. L. STARR.
Nov. 26th. no27

FOR CASSIAR AND SITKA MINES

THE MAIL STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA,
CHARLES THORN, Master,
Having superior accommodation for passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about
MONDAY, DEC. 2ND, 1878.
Returning, will leave Victoria for Astoria, Portland (Oregon) on or about the 16th.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. F. GOODHUE, Agent.
Office at P. McQuade & Sons. no20

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARK "ETHEL," FROM LIVERPOOL.

NEITHER CAPT. GRAHAM, NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Wharf St., Nov. 5, 1878. no6

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARQUE "BOTHWELL CASTLE," FROM YOKOHAMA.

NEITHER CAPTAIN HEATH NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the abovenamed vessel.
STAHLSCHMILT & WARD.
Wharf street, 19th October, 1878. oc20

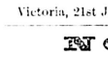
NOTICE.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG
"PILOT"
Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.
Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of
ENGELHARDT & CO., OWNERS,
Wharf street.
Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

NOTICE.

TO SHIP OWNERS AND CAPTAINS



THE POWERFUL STEAM TUG
BEAVER,
Fitted with two 36-inch Cylinders, having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, making her one of the most powerful and economical Tugs on this coast, is now prepared to tow vessels in B. C. waters.
For further information apply on board to Captain J. D. Warren at Dickson-Campbell's wharf.
Or to HENRY SAUNDERS,
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VICTORIA MARBLE WORKS

MONUMENTS
TABLETS,
TOMBS, MANTELS
FURNITURE
WORK,
Etc., Etc. Etc.
ALSO, FURNISH STONE FOR BUILDING PURPOSES.
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WRIGHT & RUDGE, PROPRIETORS.
All Orders promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed. no3dw3m

FREDERICK REYNOLDS,
FAMILY
BUTCHER
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
MEATS AND VEGETABLES
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY.
THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND AND Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand. Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch. Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW. mh10 LONDON MARKET.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS

William Parsons Sayward, Plaintiff.
John Bennett, Defendant.
A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1878. no22

DRESSMAKING.
MRS. F. LUXFORD
WILL RESUME BUSINESS, OCTOBER 15TH, ON PANDORA ST., FIRST HOUSE ABOVE THE SYNAGOGUE.
Thanking her numerous friends for their patronage in the past and soliciting a continuance of the same, Mrs. L. promises the best of work in all the
LATEST PARISIAN, LONDON AND NEW YORK STYLES.
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NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
HENRY SHORT,
GUN AND RIFLE MAKER
FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,
Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS
CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
CHINESE MERCHANDISE,
CORNER CORMORANT & GOVERNMENT STS, VICTORIA, B. C.
Beg most respectfully to inform their friends and the public at large that they have established themselves in the premises abovenamed, and are prepared to receive orders in their line and fill the same with quick dispatch AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.
THEIR STOCK CONSISTS OF
CHINA RICE, TEA, SUGARS, OPIUM,
CHINAWARE, JAPANESE, LACQUERWARE,
DRY GOODS, LADIES' FANS AND CURIOS,
WHICH ARE IMPORTED DIRECT FROM CHINA.
Intending Purchasers will do well to give us a call before Purchasing Elsewhere. no1 1m

SHEPPARD, GOODACRE & CO.,
(LATE JOHN GOODACRE & CO.)
FAMILY BUTCHERS,
PURVEYORS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
And Wholesale and Retail Dealers in all descriptions of
MEATS OF THE CHOICEST QUALITY.
Customers Supplied at LOWEST RATES, and the Goods Delivered FREE OF CHARGE.
LIVERPOOL MARKET,
OPPOSITE THE ALHAMBRA BUILDING,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
no23

LEWIS LEWIS,
YATES STREET, OPPOSITE BANK B. N. A.,
HAVING RECEIVED HIS
FALL AND WINTER STOCK,
Expressly manufactured for him by the leading house of MAMLOCK, GREEN & CO., of New York, consisting of all the Latest Styles in
CLOTHING FOR MEN, BOYS AND YOUTHS,
IN DIAGONALS, BEAVERS, WORSTEDS, CASSIMERES, ETC., ETC.,
And unsurpassed in quality and make, offers to the public a splendid opportunity of
BUYING GOOD GOODS CHEAP!
ALSO—Always on hand a fine selection of
FINE WHITE SHIRTS, BALTIC, CASSIMERE, OREGON, ETC., ETC.;
AND HATS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS AND OF THE LATEST STYLES.
ALSO—A LARGE QUANTITY OF
VALISES, TRUNKS, OIL CLOTHING, ETC.
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Come ye citizens and strangers,
Miners, sailors and Western rangers,
Listen to the truthful story,
Of Frank Campbell of Victoria.
He in truthful words will tell you
Just the goods he has to sell you.
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
If you are fond of chewing and smoking,
Or if you are given to snuffing,
What he keeps does not need puffing.
He has brands will suit you really,
Tobacco users prize them dearly;
From all parts of the "Old Dominion"
He has stock, and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better
They will please you to the letter.
His Cigars, just from 'Ih vana,'
Smoke in the most lovely manner;
Meerschaum pipes of style and fashion
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His Tobaccos are celebrated;
Green Seal, Straight Cut, all go,
Big Lick, Big Cut, Wind Sap, also
All the Fine Cut Brands for chewing
That your teeth will never ruin;
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoker,
Cards for playing sinch or poker,
Pipes of briar and stems of cherry
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
All the things he has to sell you.
While in town you may be stopping
At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in;
Campbell you'll find at that location
Ready to give you information,
Or to see you well provided,
With what is by all decided,
The smoker's and the chewer's glory,
The best and cheapest in Victoria.
F. CAMPBELL.

CITY COAL AND WOOD DEPOT.
GASTON & ROBINSON BEG TO NOTIFY THEIR customers that they have removed their office from the corner of Bastion and Government streets to next door to Messrs. Denny & Spencer, where orders can be left. Orders may also be left at the following places:—
Messrs. FELL & Co., Fort street.
Mr. G. W. ANDERSON, Fort street.
M. J. GOSNELL, Douglas street.
Victoria, 24th August, 1878. au25

COAL BY THE SACK.
THE BEST DEPARTURE BAY COAL FROM Dunsmuir's Mine, delivered to any part of the city at
50 CENTS PER SACK OF 100 LBS., OR BY THE TON AT $8.50.
ORDERS left at Mr. Finlayson's Grocery Store, Fort street; Mr. Gosnell's, Douglas street; Mr. J. Boyd's, Johnson street; or by postal card to H. DEVLIN, Alfred street, will be promptly attended to. oc5

EPPING SAUSAGE
READY AT 6 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING,
—AT—
J. GOSNELL'S,
DOUGLAS STREET.
FINEST HAMS AND BACON CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
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Coal Oil! Coal Oil!
EX EMPIRE.
1000 CS. PRATT'S HIGH TEST OIL.
100 CASES STAR OIL.
FOR SALE BY
J. RUEEF & CO., - - WHARF STREET.
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FIREMAN'S FUND INSURANCE CO.,
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CASH ASSETS OVER $600,000.
THE LOSSES PAID BY THIS COMPANY DURing the past Fifteen Years exceed $3,500,000.
MARINE RISKS TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD COVERED BY
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OF LONDON.
ESTABLISHED, - 1782.
UNLIMITED LIABILITY.
LOSSES PAID, OVER TWELVE MILLION POUNDS sterling.
The Largest and one of the Oldest Insurance Companies in the World.
Insurances effected at Current Rates or the Mainland and Island. Claims settled with Promptitude and liberality. THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent.
Government St., 23d Sept., 1877. se23

ROYAL INSURANCE COMP'Y,
CAPITAL. - - - £2,000,000.
RISKS ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES OF Premium by
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AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.
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FIRE INSURANCE.
THE SCOTTISH COMMERCIAL
INSURANCE COMPANY
CAPITAL £2,000,000 STERLING.
Risks accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
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1 OLD BROAD ST., AND 16 PALL MALL, LONDON,
INSTITUTED, - - - - - 1803.
FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER BUILdings, Goods, Wards, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by fire.
SUBSCRIBED AND INVESTED CAPITAL---ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents for British Columbia and Washington Territory
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DENTISTRY.

DR. J. CALDER,
Surgical and Mechanical Dentist
LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,
—OFFICE:—
RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.
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250 CHANCES AT $5 EACH.
RAFFLE
—FOR A—
VALUABLE BUILDING LOT,
60 X 300 FEET,
ON PANDORA AVENUE, BETWEEN VANCOUVER AND COOK STREETS,
VALUED AT $1,250.
Due notice of throwing will be given.
TICKETS may be had at the principal places of business in the city. oc19

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Orders by telegraph or letter attended to at once TRY US. C. R. HANSEN & CO.,
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Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 7TH, 1878.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorised Agent in San Francisco.

THE RAILWAY.

On Thursday we tried to show that the effect of a successful demand on Canada for the survey of Pine River Pass before railway work shall be undertaken in any other part of the Province would prove disastrous in its consequences and effects. Business is bad enough now. It would be completely paralyzed then. It is with the object of averting so disastrous a consequence that we asked the Ottawa Government, while acceding to the very reasonable request to reopen the surveys on the Mainland — to construct the promised line of railway between Esquimalt and Nanaimo; and, so as to assure the greatest amount of advantage to the Province from railway expenditure, we suggested that a line from Yale to Savona be commenced simultaneously with that from Nanaimo to Esquimalt, so that the country would be immediately placed in a position to feed the army of workmen and the sudden influx of population that would follow in their train instead of sending abroad for the necessaries of life which are raised in abundance in the interior, but are shut out from a market because of want of cheap and expeditious communication with the seaboard. We can see nothing sectional in that proposition. In truth, it would appear to be the only broad and comprehensive mode of dealing with the question in a spirit of fairness towards the *whole* Province. Senator MACDONALD's proposition, we must be allowed to say, in effect calls for a delay of railway work while the new pass is in course of examination. Engineers state that that examination would consume two years. Say that it only required one year, and that then it was not found to be practicable, would not the country have lost the benefit of the expenditure that would have come from the commencement of the lines proposed by us, and if it proved to be practicable, would not the main line be just so far advanced as the Island line counted miles made? We assume that the railway, to meet the aim of its projectors, and to be of real value to the Dominion and a successful competitor of the American lines, must find its way to Esquimalt. This assumption may be erroneous; but why any Victorian should object to the construction of that line, when, in any event, it must prove of incalculable advantage to the country, it is difficult to understand. We observe that our morning contemporary—which never attempts to argue any question—endorses Senator MACDONALD's views, and says:

"We quite agree with Senator Macdonald that it is in the highest degree inexpedient and unwise to ask for any other than the main line at present."

So our contemporary agrees with Senator MACDONALD, does it? Surely it has committed its lesson badly to memory, for we find that for several months past it has strenuously advocated the railway policy of the Local Government and the memorial passed by the House, which prays that,

"In the event of the Dominion Government failing to carry into effect the terms of settlement of 1874, *on or before the first day of May next*, your Majesty will be graciously pleased to see fit to order and direct, etc., etc."

What is the settlement of 1874? It is the CARNARVON terms, which require that the railway from "Esquimalt to Nanaimo should be begun at once," and that the "Dominion Government should greatly increase the strength of the surveying parties on the Mainland," so that the most practicable route for the main line may be obtained at an early date. Now, we submit that our contemporary, in its anxiety to condemn *The Colonist*, figures as an opponent of the Local Government who are its chief patrons and its strongest friends. (?) If the main line has not yet been selected, how can railway work be begun before the first of May next? and is not the article of our contemporary really a proposition for further delay by objecting to the commencement of railway work except on the main line? We acquit our contemporary of intentionally and designedly opposing the policy of the Local Government; but we cannot help saying that if it would give a little more thought and take a little more care in the preparation of its articles on such momentous subjects as the railway, it would not be found so frequently running counter to the Government which gives it a generous support. If the CARNARVON Terms are not carried out by May the 1st, 1879, then Separation will be in order; and if the main line by that time has not been selected how can railway work be commenced before that date, since our contemporary, "agreeing with Senator MACDONALD," declines to accept any but work done on the main line? Is that the drift of Senator MACDONALD's argument? We did not so understand it.

RUSSIAN FINANCE.

The finances of Russia appear by all accounts to be in a state of deplorable confusion. General GREIG, the new Russian Minister, is in Paris, and is reported to be endeavoring to effect a loan. The security offered is said to be the sale of the tobacco monopoly for the entire empire, or a pledge of the woods and forests. Meanwhile, the internal condition of the whole Russian Empire is such as might excite the compassion of its worst foes, so great is the suffering of the people from extreme poverty. Discontent is rife throughout the Empire, and needs, indeed, in the eyes of the Russian Government, the diversion of a foreign war which increased the paper currency by five hundred million roubles, that is sixty millions sterling, besides adding seventy million roubles, or say nine millions sterling, to the annual interest on the national debt. This last figure is half as much again as the highest estimate made before the war broke out, and it represents an addition of no less than two hundred millions sterling to the capital of the debt. Retrenchment being impossible, especially in the military department, an increase of taxes and Custom dues is contemplated.

Liquor Licenses.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I should like to know what rule applies or what law governs the dispensing of liquor licenses in this place. By the manner that licenses have been granted broadcast in this neighborhood with the last twelve months it seems to me that some definite rule should be made, that the permission may be based on sound business principles, reason and common sense. When no law, reason or the common principles of business guide those who for the time being have the power to grant these licenses, what are we to expect but competition from any numbskull envious of his neighbor's bread and cheese, and that competition in sparsely peopled localities is synonymous with ruin. Under such circumstances the sooner some rule is established apart from the whim, caprice or discretion of (unfortunately by their action in the past) men utterly unable or unwilling to use their power aright—I say the sooner some rule is established the better.

The retail liquor dealers pay a heavy and special tax for the privilege, and in the fitness of things they are entitled to special protection. The absurd theory that governed under Mayor Drummond's regime, that the more the better, is too peurile for attack. I should not even allude to it were it not that this same theory has been carried into practice lately with a vengeance.

To show, sir, the injustice of this promiscous licensing: Say I keep an old-established house. I've paid my license for six months. When so doing there was no thought or word of new establishments. I wake up some morning and there in less than a hop, skip and jump, is a rival establishment, and that too in a neighborhood that was already overdone with such places. I say that such a system of managing public affairs is a beggardly injustice to the struggling establishments whom it injures. And then to hear the men who have the option of licencing say with a snicker, "another $100 for the exchequer," I should certainly think them lacking in all public qualities but those befitting a farmer of taxes in Turkey. Does kissing go by favor in such instances, or are the grantors of these licenses too morally weak to say "No,' although they know well that their "Yea" will be doing an injustice to a dozen others. The sooner such power is taken from such hands the better.

I would call upon the proprietors of all old established houses to at once form themselves into a protective association. Let them do so with an energy befitting live business men so that they may at least have a say in affairs that effect their most vital interests.

Boss.

LOOKING TO A NEW SOURCE FOR GOLD.—The Placer *Herald* says: A gentleman by the name of Allen Oliver, who has thoroughly prospected this country for gold, has come to the conclusion, in his own mind, that the riches of California are not in the quartz, only in very limited quantities. That the main grand original source of gold is only partially understood. He considers that the rock known as porphpry, or as he terms it, metallic ashes, is the original source from whence issues all the gold that has ever been discovered in California or any other country. So confirmed is he in opinion as to be induced to invent machinery for the express purpose of extracting the precious metal from this porphyry or metallic ashes. Machinery has been manufactured in San Francisco by Jno. Lockhead at a great expense, and is now at Auburn Station, on its way to its final location. It was at one time intended to have this machinery erected near the mouth of Volcano Canyon, on the middle fork of American river, but as it appears to be very difficult to obtain teams to move it to that locality, it is more than probable that it will be erected on the American river, near Auburn, and be run by water from the Bear river ditch. The machinery, which is very massive, was set up in San Francisco, and found to work to the satisfaction of all concerned.

NOTICE.

A large lot of Men's and Boys' Ulsters to be sold very cheap at the Commission Store on Johnson street. Men sand boys' suits and gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes, rubber coats, Capeann oilskin suits, heavy cloths and tweeds, waterproof cloth and Oregon flannels. The above goods will be sold at a very small advance on cost. Garments made to order at a low figure. *

A. GILMORE.

REMOVAL. — Mr. Jungerman, watchmaker and jeweller, will remove to the new brick building on the corner of Government and Bastion streets on or about the 10th inst. Mr. Jungerman has added largely to his stock which now presents increased inducements for the patronage of his customers and the general public. *

RAFFLE FOR A HOMESTEAD.—Attention is called to the advertisement of a raffle for a home. A handsome building lot, 66x300 feet, situated on Pandora avenue, worth $1,250, to be had for $5. Tickets may be obtained at the principal places of business. *

GET THE BEST.—An Accented Editlon of the Chinook Dictionary, to which are added numerous Conversations. Just published and for sale by M. W. WAITT & Co., Government street. dw*

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between J. W. Grace, J. F. Chapman and E. L. Marshall, under the style and title of E. L. Marshall & Co., as Saw-Mill owners, at Milton, W. T., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The undersigned will not be accountable for business transacted, or debts contracted, in the name of the above firm from this date.

J. W. GRACE.
J. F. CHAPMAN.

Milton, W. T., December 4, 1878. de7dw

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The undersigned have received instructions from C. T. DUPONT,

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I carry in my little box Spools, Papers, Pins,
Matches, Polish of every sort, to make things tidy clean.
I sell as cheap as other men, think it no disgrace
To share your favor with Brother Gunn cannot be out of place.
Ye wholesale folks think it not a stain upon your fame
That you should buy of me a wee bit's worth now and again.
Equals in future the good shall be, the cotter and his Lord.
It is only pure morality that's by humanity adored;
The honest poor never slight, he may be king of men,
While one is struggling in the right help him all you can.
I call around on rich and poor, all equals with me;
I reverence only good characters whatever their purses be.
Reserve a bit in kindness, please, to buy when I do pause.
For you shall never poorer be to encourage a worthy cause.
I thank, sincerely thank, those who befriended me;
All that from good motives act shall rich rewarded be.
de6 1m DONALD GUNN.

CASSIAR MAIL.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to the 20th December inst., for the conveyance of a Mail to

DEASE CREEK, CASSIAR.

The Contractor to leave Victoria about the first week in January, 1879, to proceed to Dease Creek with all possible dispatch and return to Victoria as soon as possible, stopping one week at Dease Creek and calling at the Postoffice at Glenora each way.

NO PARCELS will be forwarded by this mail.

Proposals to state the price asked per ROUND TRIP.

R. WALLACE, P. O. Inspector.

Postoffice Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 4th December, 1878. de5dw

NOTICE.

MR. H. S. MASON HAS THIS DAY BEEN admitted a partner in the firm of Allsop & Co. The business in future will be carried on under the name of Allsop & Mason.

Dated 4th Novemoer, 1878. no5

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NOTICE TO WALTER P——Y, OF COMOX.

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The Anniversary Dinner will be held on Saturday, 7th December, at the Pacific Telegraph Hotel, at 7:30 p. m. Tickets may be had of the undersigned or any of the Committee.

CHAS. KENT, Secretary.
Victoria, 30th Nov., 1878. no30

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FROM THE ENCLOSURE, UPLAND Farm, Cadboro Bay about the middle of October last, 50 Southdown Ewes. A reward of $50 will be paid for their recovery.

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NOTICE

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNDERsigned prior to July 1st last, are requested to settle their accounts one week from date, else legal proceedings will be taken without any further notice.

JOHN WEILER.
Victoria, Nov. 16th, 1878. no17

F. CHAPERON'S

FRUIT AND FISH MARKET,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

FAMILIES SUPPLIED WITH FRESH FISH every morning.

OLYMPIA OYSTERS

By the Sack, Gallon or Quart, at REDUCED PRICES

no24

NOTICE.

I MANUEL ANTOINE BITANCOURT, OF VESUvius Bay, Salt Spring Island, hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife. Dated 25th November, 1878.

M. A. BITANCOURT.
Witness—Edwin Johnson, Barrister-at-Law, Victoria.
no26

DONALD SIMPSON

HAS OPENED A

TAILOR'S SHOP

ON FORT STREET,

WHERE HE WILL BE HAPPY TO SEE HIS friends and the public in general.

CALL ON HIM, SELECT YOUR GOODS AND LEAVE YOUR ORDERS,

AND HE PLEDGES HIMSELF TO GIVE YOU SATISFACTION.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM HIS friends and the public in general that he has

REMOVED HIS BUSINESS

TO HIS NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING.

COR. OF JOHNSON AND DOUGLAS STS.

Thanking his many friends for their past liberal patronage he hopes by care and attention to merit a continuance of their favors in the future.

de1 **THOMAS NICHOLSON.**

VICTORIA HIDE DEPOT.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR

HIDES, SHEEP AND DEER SKINS

OFFICE REMOVED TO WHARF STREET, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE J. P. DAVIES & CO'S AUCTION ROOMS.

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SALCHICHA A' LA ESPANOLA.

COLLARD HEAD, 10 CTS. PER LB.
BLACK PUDDINGS
WHITE PUDDINGS
POLONY
SAVELOYS
TENDER LOINS
PIGS FEET AND
KNUCKLES COOKED.

SCHWART MAGEN, 10 CTS. PER LB.
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BOLOGNA AND MILANO
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COTELETTES DE COCHON

LUNCH TABLES SUPPLIED REASONABLE.

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☞ When you go to your Grocer ask for HEYWOOD'S and perhaps you will get it. ☜

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ENGLISH MACINTOSHES.

The undersigned has just received from England an Invoice of the Celebrated

MACKINTOSH WATERPROOF OVERCOAT,

Which will be SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH. They are Guaranteed to stand all kinds of Weather.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING

Will arrive by the next Direct Steamer and will be sold 20 per cent. under usual prices.

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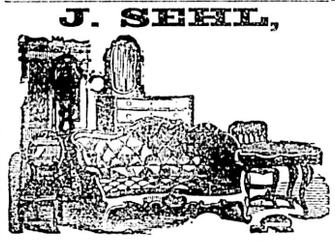

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RAISINS—Muscatels and Valencias (New fruit)
NUTS—Almonds, Brazils, Barcelonas and Walnuts.
CURRANTS—In tins and in bulk.
CANDIED PEEL—In tins and in glass.
RICE—Sandwich Island.
JAMS, JELLIES, MARMALADE.

BRANDY—In quarter casks and in case.
GIN—Red Case and Old Tom.
WHISKY—Scotch, Rob Roy and Campbelton.
WHISKY—Canadian, Bourbon, Rye, Malt and Toddy, &c., &c.

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AMERICAN SINGER SEWING MACHINE

Can only be procured at their office, and any Machine offered for sale elsewhere and represented to be of our manufacture must either be spurious or second-hand.

J. H. MULLAN,

REPRESENTATIVE.

Temporary Office at FAWCETT & Co's, Government street. de3 2w

CANADIAN BUTTER AND CHEESE

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE CHEAP

A LOT OF PRIME DAIRY

BUTTER & CREAM CHEESE.

J. H. TODD.
Victoria, V. I., Nov. 28, 1878. no29 1m

ALLSOP & MASON,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

CONVEYANCERS,

INSURANCE AND GENERAL AGENTS,

no5 **VICTORIA, B. C.**

MUNICIPAL REAL ESTATE TAX.

OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE ARE HEREBY NOtified that the above tax is now in arrear, and payable at my office, Broughton street.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.
Victoria, Nov. 4th 1878. no5

Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 7TH, 1878.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Dec. 6—Str Isabel, Port Townsend
Str California, Portland
Sch Industry, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Dec. 6—Str Isabel, Port Townsend

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 6th inst., the wife of Mr. Hy. Devlin of a son.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 6th inst., David Kurtz, a native of Philadelphia, U. S., aged 35 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday next, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of C. E. Redfern, Esq., James' Bay, and at 2:30 o'clock from St. John's Church. Friends are invited to attend.

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, December 7.

BUTTER—Prime Island, 50c. ₱ lb; Roll, 37½c.; Canadian Tub, 30@35c.

CHEESE—Canadian, 33½c.₱lb.; Harris', Maple Ridge, 25c.; Cala., 25c.; East. Cream, 30c.

EGGS—Island, 75c.₱doz.

CORNMEAL—62½c.₱sack of 100lbs.

FLOUR—Extra, $6 50 ₱ brl.

WHEAT—2c.₱lb.

BEANS—6c.₱lb.

SPLIT PEAS—12½c.₱lb

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 1½@1¾c.₱lb; Squash 6c.e.; Cabbage, 1½c.₱lb; Turnips, 37½c.₱doz. bds; Onions, 4c.₱lb; Carrots, 3 bchs, 12½c.; Radishes, 3 bunch. 12½c.; Cauliflower, 3 hd.25c; Sweet Potatoes, 4c. ₱lb; Artichoke, 37½c.₱ doz.; Indian Corn 37½c. ₱ doz.

BACON—Breakfast, Heywood's Gilt Edge, 20c.₱ lb; heavy sides, 16@18c.

HAMS—Home Cured, Heywood's, 20c.₱lb.; Chicago: 22c.; Oregon, 17c; Shoulders, 12½c

LARD—Tub, 20c.₱lb.; can, 25c.

FISH—Cod, 4@5c. ₱ lb; Salmon, 8 c. ₱ lb; Boneless Cod, 16c; Soles, 7@8c; Halibut, 6c; Yarmouth Bloaters, 25c. ₱ doz.; Salt Salmon, 12½c. ₱lb; Herring, 5c.; Trout, 12½c.; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 12½c.; Smelt, 6c.

CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.

FRUIT—Lemons, 75c. ₱ doz.; Oranges, $1 ₱ doz., Limes, 25c. ₱ doz.; Plums, 20c. ₱ lb; Pears, 6c.₱lb; Apples, 3@5c₱lb; Grapes, 12½c.₱lb.

DRIED APPLES—12½@15c.₱lb.

CANDIED FRUITS—Lemon, Citron and Orange, 75c.₱lb.

CURRANTS—Zante, 15@16c.₱lb.

RAISINS—English Layers, 3¾c. ₱ lb.; Cala., 25c.; Sultana, Valencia and Elemc, 25c.

FIGS—New, 50c.₱lb.

MIXED SPICES—25c.₱ tin.

TEA & COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ₱ lb; green, 28c.₱lb; Tea, from 45c. to $1 25 ₱ lb.

NUTS—Eng. Walnuts, 25c. ₱ lb; Filberts, 25c.; Almonds—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan, 75c.; Brazil, 25c.

ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c.₱lb.; Ox Tongues 75c. ea.

BEEF—Roasts, 12½c.₱lb; Soup, 4c.

MUTTON—10@12½c.₱lb.

PORK—12½c.₱lb; Tenderloins, 20c.

SAUSAGES—Cambridge, Oxford and Epping, 12½c. ₱lb.

VEAL—10@12½c.₱lb.; Sweetbreads, 50c.₱pair.

LAMB—12½c. ₱lb.

SUET—12½c.₱lb.

CHICKENS—50@62½c. ea.

TURKEYS—33c. ₱lb.

GEESE—Tame, $2 50 ea.; wild, 75c.@$1

WILD DUCK—37½@75c. ₱ pair; Tame, 75c.@$1 ea.

GROUSE—50@62½c. ₱ brace.

RABBITS—Tame, 62½@75c. ea.

COAL OIL—$2 75 ₱ tin; ₱ case, 85 ₱.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

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Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

FRIDAY, Dec. 5.

Edward P. Baker, charged with being of unsound mind and not under proper care and control, was remanded until Monday next.

Mary and Tommy, Indians, charged with being drunk and disorderly, were fined $2 25 and $5 respectively.

James Curley, charged with carrying a concealed weapon (a knife), was discharged, the knife having been confiscated.

CHOIR'S PIONEER DIRECTORY.—A very useful little hand-book bearing this name has recently been published by Mr. M. Choir, of Seattle, and a copy of it has found its way to our editorial table. The work, which has evidently been compiled with great care, contains an alphabetical list of the leading firms of Washington Territory, a description of the resources of that country and its principal public works, a general condensation of the land laws, and much other valuable information. The little volume can be obtained, post-paid, by forwarding its price—one dollar—to the publisher. We notice that it is intended to issue the directory at the commencement of every year.

ASKEW'S NEW SAW-MILL.—Mr. T. G. Askew has in course of erection a new saw-mill at Horseshoe Bay, Chemainus. The building is 138 feet long by 40 feet wide, two stories in height, and stands on a most substantial foundation. The mill will be driven by one of N. F. Burnham's (1874) turbine water-wheels, which will give about 90 horse-power. Mr. Askew expects to saw lumber in about six weeks' time. Some cargoes of spars and timber have been shipped from Horseshoe Bay to foreign parts, and have invariably given satisfaction.

HOSPITAL BENEFIT.—The proceeds of the entertainment given by the dramatic company of H. M. S. Turquoise at Theatre Royal amounted to $104. This sum was placed in the hands of Mrs. Archdeacon Wright by the company for special purchases. The lady handed the amount to the directors at the last monthly meeting for that object. Mrs. Wright has also given to the hospital a beautiful harmonium, the result of a special collection made by her.

London Bazaar.

Electro Plated Ware,
Cutlery,
Lamps and Lanterns,
Selling at greatly Reduced Prices.
Cheap Mirrors and Pictures. *

GRAND DIAMOND RAFFLE.—At the Pavilion Skating Rink on the evening of Dec. 4th, 1878, B. C. Pettingell will raffle the large and well-known 5½-carat DIAMOND RING and PIN formerly belonging to J. Lovett. Two hundred chances at $5 a chance. The Raffle will be conducted in a way satisfactory to all ticket-holders, whether they be present or not. No ticket will be good unless paid for in advance. *

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

Important to the Putters Up of Canned Goods in B. C.

Shippers of canned goods to England would do well to remember that after the first day of the new year a new law regulating weights will go into effect in that country. Under its provisions exact weights, neither more nor less, must be delivered. Exporters are in the habit of marking their tins 1-lb, 2-lb, and so on, according to their contents, and under the new law they will find some difficulty in regulating the tins to the exact weight. The English Grocers' Association, which has called the attention of the American traders to this fact, advises them in future to sell by the tin, instead of by weight. This course was recommended in the United States so long ago as 1874, when a convention of canned goods packers, which met in Philadelphia, adopted a resolution of that purport.

Death of Mr. David Kurtz.

We regret to announce the death last evening in this city of Mr. David Kurtz, late of the firm of Strouss, Briggs & Kurtz, and formerly United States Vice-Consul at this port. Mr. Kurtz, who was native of Philadelphia, came to British Columbia in 1863, and for many years was a leading merchant at Cariboo, before embarking in business in this city. He was of a peculiarly amiable and kindly disposition, which drew about him a circle of warm friends, by whom he was greatly beloved. Mr. Kurtz leaves a wife and three children to mourn his untimely demise. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, C. E. Redfern, Esq., James Bay.

REPORTED ROBBERY.—A report comes from Tenino, W. T., that a man who was seeking a farm in that locality and who had a large amount of money on his person, was accosted by two masked footpads on Wednesday last, shot through the hand and relieved of his purse. The injured man, who was picked up and taken on board the cars, states that his assailants were disguised with deer-skin, and that the second shot fired at him grazed one of his ears. If he had come to British Columbia he would have been able to pre-empt a rich section of land without fear of molestation in any shape or form.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt left at 8 a.m. yesterday for New Westminster with the following passengers: Mrs. Hennessy, Mrs. Wise and child, Miss Irving, Miss Williams, Miss Chenowith, Miss Mitchell and Messrs. W. Skinner, S. M. Pearson, J. C. Davies, J. Laidlaw, T. E. Ladner, D. Hennessy, Rankin, R. W. Calvin, C. H. Evans, W. Poole, Fraser, J. Harvey, G. Ashwell, D. W. Miller, Shapperon, G. Cole, J. Short, J. Carter, L. Gold and many others.

THE steamer Olympia, left at 8 a. m. yesterday for New Westminister, with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Nelson and Messrs. J. H. Todd, H. Wark, Stanger, J. McB. Smith, J. Reiley, T. H. Robson, Jos. Hanker, G. B. Wright, Tuckfield, Shakespeare, L. Morley and several others.

THE steamer Maude left at 7 a. m. for Nanaimo and way ports with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Loat, Mrs. Ganner, Miss L. Joy, Rev. J. Althoff and Messrs. R. D. Lymonds, A. Mayer, P. Ferguson, R. Byrn, P. Ganner, J. Quagilotti, W. Sutton and W. Kingstone.

THE ASSIZES.—The Court of Assize resumes sitting at 10 o'clock this morning, when the case of Robert Smith, indicted for obtaining money with intent to defraud, will come up. Petty Jurors are notified to be in attendance at that hour.

FOR FORT WRANGEL AND SITKA.—The steamer California will sail at 4 o'clock this afternoon for Fort Wrangel and Sitka. She has on board 100 tons of freight for the former place and a large quantity for the latter.

KAMLOOPS FLOUR MILL.—Mara & Wilson's flour mill at Kamloops is nearly ready for action. It has two runs of stones and is said to be a very complete affair.

FOR NANAIMO.—The steamer Pilot left here yesterday at 2 p.m. for Nanaimo and will return to-day to Royal Roads with a coal laden vessel in tow.

NEW COTTAGE.—Mr. Richard Jones has just completed a neat cottage residence on the Work Estate not far from Mr. Heisterman's residence.

CHRISTMAS BEEF.—A band of fat cattle from the ranch of J. B. Greaves, Cache Creek, will arrive by to-day's boat for Sheppard & Goodacre, Yates street.

COUNTY COURT.—No business was transacted at this Court yesterday.

FOOT-BALL at Beacon Hill to-day, the game commencing at 2:30 P. M.

Query for "Maple Leaf."

SIR:—In your letter to the *Standard* of to-day you say that "Saanich alone grows more grain than Yale district." If this is the case how is it that the owners of the steamer California are reaping a fortune by freighting flour, bacon, hogs, butter, eggs and chicken feed from Oregon to Victoria? On her last trip that steamer brought 9,700 sacks of flour for Victoria and New Westminster merchants, and in all nearly 280 tons (560,000 lbs.) of farm produce, such as is grown in the interior of British Columbia.

Dec. 6. NICA TICKKI CUMTUX.

Private Notice.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Who was the *belle* at the Ivy Club ball?

MAPLE LEAF.

[Can't say; were not invited. Will some of our city beaux who were present answer our forlorn correspondent.—ED.]

BROWN & WHITE have received the undermentioned Goods per Steamer Alaska: A fresh supply of LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTH ULSTERS, and Jackets, Colored Silks, Colored Velvets and Satins, the English Walking Hat, Furs in great variety, Flannels, Black French Merino, Cashmeres black and colored, Fancy Buttons, Ladies', Children's and Infant's Hosiery, Black Merino Hose, Aberdeen Wincoys. Novelties in Dress Goods, Frillings, Promenade Scarfs, Wool Polkas, Shawls, Merino Vests, Hoods, Ladies' and Children's Wool Jackets and all the latest novelties in Flowers, Feathers and Milinery Goods; a full assortment of Staples. BROWN & WHITE, Government street. *

London Assurance.

A crowded house greeted the second appearance of Miss Augusta L. Dargon at Theatre Royal last night. The play selected was Boucicault's sparkling comedy "London Assurance," with the great actress in the character of Lady Gay Spanker. Her rendering of the part was excellent throughout, but especially so in the depiction of the hunting field wherein she fairly carried her audience with her over brook and hedge and brought them in at the death. As contrasted with her portrayal of "Leah" on Thursday night her representation of "Lady Gay" affords most conclusive proof that she is not only talented but most versatile, the two characters being diametrically opposed to one another both in action and sentiment. Her conception of the vivacious and somewhat headstrong, but withal good hearted, Lady Gay is original and on that account all the more effective. She was ably supported by Miss Wade as Grace Harkaway, who assumed her part with good taste. Mr. Lindsay appeared as Sir Harcourt, and contributed in a great measure to the successful manner in which the play was represented. A word of praise is undoubtedly due to Mr. R. C. White, who made and excellent "Meddle;" and to Messrs. Sutherland, Robinson and Allen, who took the characters of Dazzle, Max Harkaway and Cool respectively. Miss Dargon was frequently applauded, and in fact the entire play passed off with great *eclat*. The management have in their company another very talented actress, Miss Jean C. Walters, who is at present in this city, but owing to the selection of the plays in which Miss Dargon has appeared, no opportunity has been afforded that lady of displaying to Victorians her great ability. It is to be hoped that when the company visit the city again that Miss Walters will be introduced to the community as her reputation as a leading actress is fully established on this coast. The company will give a matinee commencing at 2 p.m. today, in which Miss Dargon will appear in her celebrated *role* of Leah. In the evening the company will make their farewell appearance, the sublime play of Lucretia Borgia being selected for the occasion. Reserved seats should be secured at Redfern's jewelry store early this morning.

Canada's Welcome to "Lorne."

[For The Colonist.]

Thy blazon'd shield, Britannia, proudly shows,
The modest thistle and the queenly rose;
With Scotia's emblem of her rugged worth
Is joined fair Anglia's peerless flow'r of earth.
No longer now each marks a rival throne,
They vie in loyalty to one alone;
Yet closer still the sister kingdoms bind
Their loving cords, a dearer union find;
Lo! o'er the peaceful realms an angel's smiles
Surprise the youthful chieftain of the Isles,
Pleading the memories of ancestral fame.
He dares in Albion's court a bride to claim,—
Plucks from her royal home the precious gem
Fit for the proudest monarch's diadem!
Illustrious scion of a noble race,
Thou shalt not owe to courtesy a place
'Mid high-born princes of a kingly line;
Vice-regal honors wait thee and are thine:
Here in the regions of departing day
Thy happy spouse shall hail thy rightful sway.
By love and pow'r thy double title's blest,
Lord of the Isles and Viceroy of the West!
The glad Dominion owns her Sovereign's care,
In deigning thus her government to share
O'er lands, far sever'd by the Atlantic tide,
Yet now by Nature's fondest ties allied.
"God save our Queen," a grateful people cry,
"God save the son of England's majesty!"
From mountain peak to Ocean's furthest bound
From town to town th' inviting cheers resound
Quebec, Toronto, Brunswick, Montreal—
Their joy-bells ring, responsive to the call,
Pealing across the snowdrifts from afar
Back to the stately halls of Ottawa.
Ontario's waters gently murmur "Hail!"
And Lake Superior swells the chilly gale
With liquid welcomes to her coming Lord,
While all our forests sough their wild accord.
E'en lone Columbia joins in loyal strain,
"God save Victoria's son! Long may he reign!
Long may the rose and thistle intertwine
In fond embrace! Long may the twin stars shine!"
And with reflected radiance e'er be seen
Shedding fresh lustre to the mother Queen;
Thus as we sing with thankful hearts to-day,
To God on High be glory, let us pray,
Blest be the Western home of fair Louise!
The daughter of the Empress of the Seas!
Who from her throne imperial doth not scorn
T' entrust her sceptre, with her child, to Lorne.

G. M.

Passing His Card.

[Paris Figaro.]

They were playing at cards, when all of a sudden the game was interrupted, angry words passed and the players arose:

"See here, you're holding altogether too many aces,"

"What do you say, sir?"

"I say you are a swindler."

"I will call you to account for this unpardonable insult."

"I am at your service at any time." Here is my card, sir." (Throws down, by mistake, another ace which he draws from his pocket.)

IN 1859 Mr. J. S. Hogan, M.P., for the Country of Grey, was murdered near Toronto. The deed was said to have been committed by one of the Brooks Bush gang, who were broken up at that time, and one of them named Brown was tried, convicted and hung for the murder. A *Mail* reporter now states having had an interview with a woman, who is the sole survivor of the gang, and she tells a story to the effect that Brown was an innocent victim. This seems to be confirmed by the prisoner's protestations during the trial and when sentenced. During the confinement he made frequent protestations of innocence, and his last words were, "I call the Almighty God to witness that I am innocent of the murder for which I am about to be hung." From recent developments it almost seems certain that he was innocent, and while sincere pity must be felt that a man should have suffered unjustly, still he was to be blamed for being a member of a gang whose regular occupation was thivieng and debauchery, and apparances were thus strongly against him. The moral to be deduced from this is apparent to law as well as to men," a man is known by the company he keeps."

Epping Sausages.

Let some of Cambridge sausages talk,
And others of Oxford brag;
But both of them may go take a walk,
While Epping will pocket the swag;
For Epping's the place for sausages famed,
Before Oxford or Cambridge ever were named,
And JOE. GOSNELL on Douglas street is the man
Who can furnish them made on the Epping plan. *

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Afternoon Dispatch.

EUROPE.

GENOA, Dec. 4.—The body of St. Francis Xavier was exposed in the cathedral in the presence of many Catholics from various parts of the world. The ceremonial was impressive and excited much religious enthusiasm.

MADRID, Dec. 4.—The Court of Cassation has allowed Moncasis' appeal on the ground of misapplication of the code of criminal procedure. A new trial will commence in a fortnight.

ROME, Dec. 5.—In the chamber of deputies last night Signor Manghetti, extreme Conservative, supported an interpellation regarding unlawful associations. He said he had heard that some Biarsanti clubs had been closed and he wished to know if the same course would be taken against Republican associations. He said he knew there was a great difference between Internationalists and Republicans.

INDIA.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—A Lahore dispatch says it is believed there is no Afghan force between Dakkar and Cabul, and that Gen. Brown will occupy Jallalabad.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—In the House of Commons this afternoon the Under Secretary of State for India gave notice that he would on Monday next submit a motion that the expenses of the Afghan war be defrayed from the Indian revenue, and Henry Fawcett, Liberal, gave notice that he would oppose the motions.

China.

We find the following in our files of the Hongkong *Press*:

News of a very serious rebellion in Kwang-si has reached us. It is stated that a brigadier-general named Li has revolted and is at the head of 50,000 men under arms He has been disappointed in not receiving some preferment he coveted, and has sold his estates and put himself at the head of a revolutionary movement. Li Yung-choi is a native of Ling-chow, in Kwang-si, and about forty-five years of age. Whether the movement will spread into Hunan, a province noted for the turbulence and disaffection of its people, or will first extend south toword Annam and Yunnan, as the Chinese report it is doing, remains to be seen. Under any circumstances there should be little doubt but that the Imperial government will be able to successfully cope with the rebellion, although it may take some time before they succeed in staying its progress. At present Li is said to be carrying all before him.

It is, we believe, a fact that the Chinese authorities have not, up to the present date, made a single arrest on account of the Wu-shih-shan riot and incendiarism, in which the Wesleyan Church Mission was destroyed.

It is notified in the circular of the Governor of Canton that the wearing of winter hats will be commenced on the morning of the 26th inst.

The Futar of Fukien has degraded General Sun on account of making false reports to the government of his last engagement with the savages in Black Rock bay, for which he at the time was rewarded with a yellow jacket, and which he had to give up, and besides that he is degraded two more steps.

The insurrection in Formosa is, we are informed, at an end—the aborigines having been defeated in a heavy engagement. No prisoners were taken—a significant fact.

Japan.

The Yokohama *Guzette* says: The recent outbreak of cholera in Nagasaki, details of which we have published from time to time, has once more directed attention to the necessity of taking some measures for the protection of places as yet free from this disease. Fortunately, the disease prevailing in Nagasaki does not appear to be very serious, partaking, we believe, more of the sporadic than of the malignant Asiatic tybe.

News of a terrible disaster has reached us. It appears that a steam vessel called the Tokushima-Maru, recently built to ply between Osaka and Awa, left the former place on the 28th of October on her first and last voyage. At 11 a.m. on that day, when off Tanda, some gunpowder laden on board exploded, instantly destroying the vessel. Eighty-three passengers, with the whole of the crew, twelve in number, were lost, and in the words of a witness of the dreadful occurrence, "in a few minutes all was over; not a vestige of wreckage, nor sign of struggling humanity marked the surface of the calm, blue water."

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THE AGE OF INVENTION.

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PETROLEUM AND COAL TAR TO MELT GLASS AND IRON.

[From the New York World.]

A warm, crimson light shone through the smoke-stained windows of the boiler-room at the Brooklyn Navy Yard for seven hours the other afternoon, although but four pounds of coal were burned in the great furnace. The light came from an apparatus in the furnace walls, made by removing bricks that visitors might see the flame within, which completely filled the body of the furnace. It was almost white and dazzling as a calcium light. A long iron rod was thrust into one of the apertures at 3 o'clock. As it was withdrawn a molten ball clung to the end of it, which presently, by force of its own weight, dropped to the stone flooring, leaving a thread behind it. "Let us see how long that is," the cleanhanded fireman said, and he walked off sixteen feet with the rod before the thread broke. "You won't find any specks or impurities in that glass," exclaimed a stout, ruddy-faced man in a blue flannel shirt, and eyes bright with the gleam of triumph, as he passed a piece of the thread among the visitors, "because there's no sulphur in it and it is almost perfectly annealed." The glass had been put in the furnace but two hours before—the time allowed for melting glass by the common method is sixteen hours, and even then it is usually tainted with sulphur.

The results illustrated by this simple experiment—many others were afterwards made—and the appearance as described of the flame inside of the furnace, are due to the invention of a process for producing steam by the use of petroleum as fuel. To all appearances, the process is a simple one, although it cost twenty years of study to perfect it. A gaspipe beginning at a tank of petroleum on the floor above the boiler-room ends in a short funnel, the mouth of which protrudes into the furnace door. When the valves in the pipe are open, a fierce but delicate spray of liquid—a mixture of petroleum, coal tar and a patient ingredient—shoots out from the mouth of the funnel. When this spray touches a flame, ignition and combustion occur, and the heat finally resolves itself into a body of white flame, which the inventor says would fill a furnace as long as from the Battery to Central Park, if a furnace so long could be constructed. The funnel-shaped end of the pipe has much to do with the nature of the spray. When mixed with coal tar the petroleum assumes the consistency of molasses, and in this form it passes nearly to the end of the iron pipe, where it is joined by the other ingredient, about which the inventor speaks reservedly. Its effect is to destroy, at least partially, the volatile and inflammable properties of the oil. At the entrance to the funnel the liquid comes in contact with a current of super-heated steam, which atomizes it. This produces the spray which, as it leaves the funnel, ignites and bursts into flame. It is claimed that the inflammable properties of the liquid itself have been destroyed, and that so far from exploding, it would have the effect of water and tend to extinguish the fire if thrown upon a bed of live coals. It is only after atomization that the spray is oxydized or burned. When the apparatus is in full blast the temperature reaches a heat of 5,000 degrees, which will melt pig iron in less than fifteen minutes and glass in two hours. By an ordinary blast furnace it takes two hours to melt iron.

The application of this invention is designed to extend to all the industries, particularly those in which heat and steam are important agents. The immediate results of its application are perfect combustion, intense heat, quickly produced, of extraordinary evaporation of water and pressure of steam, and freedom from dust, cinders, sulphur, and the other impurities that are necessarily present when coal is burned. All this involves a great saving in the cost of fuel, since little or no coal would be required to keep a furnace in blast, a saving in room usually taken up by such fuel and a saving in labor required to handle it. The daily capacity of the furnace will, moreover, be tribled. Apart from the important item of economy in time, in the manufacture of glass, the absence of sulphur in the flame will permit of the use of open instead of closed pots, so that the heat may be used directly and thus improve the quality of the glass to such an extent that manufacturers may cut them into large plates, avoiding the severe loss to which they are now subjected by having to cut it into small pieces to escape the imperfections which sulphur now produces. The pots, moreover, in a furnace of this kind may be each kept separate, so that one may be removed at any time without disturbing any of the others.

In melting iron by this process, two furnaces are used, one a foot below the other. The pig metal is thrown into the first, and the sulphur is eliminated in from six to eight minutes. Then it is run into the second in such a way that the cold air cannot come in contact with it, the particles thus becoming united. It is then subjected to a fresh heat, which keeps the liquid iron in a constant agitation and drives the carbon from it in from six to eight minutes longer. Then it is ready for the puddler. The metal having thus become entirely freed from carbon and sulphur, its adhesiveness is improved; one-half the labor and cost of finishing is saved, since its quality is excellent, and the quantity of iron is increased 100 pounds to the ton of material. In addition to this, owing to the intense heat, one puddler will turn out in ten hours the amount—ten charges—that four puddlers and helpers turn out by the common methods in twenty-four hours; the labor of handling coal and and removing ashes will be dispensed with; no clinkers will be formed on the furnace walls, and there will be no necessity of scraping bricks and making new hearths almost daily, as in common furnaces; and the cost of fuel will be reduced one-half, and in a furnace of thirty tons capacity a day, the liquid iron will be converted into wrought iron or steel so cheaply that the value of the metal will be enhanced to double its present value. Steel rails may thus be made as cheap as iron rails are now. Such is the inventor's claim. In applying this invention to the ocean steamship business, there will be the saving in the labor of loading and handling 800 tons of coal, and the space reserved for coal may be used for freight at so much gain—it is estimated at $5,000—for addition freight charges; the fire doors may remain closed during the voyage, thus obviating the injurious effects of draughts of cold air upon the boilers; there will be no carbonization of the tubes, necessitating their being worn out by scraping; and the smoke being consumed, the vessel may be kept cleaner; there will be no danger from sparks.

Society Agitation in Washington.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Among the gossip from Washington comes a statement that society there is agitated as to the position it shall assign to the elegant and accomplished octoroon wife of Bruce, the colored Senator from Mississippi, soon to return from her European bridal tour. Official etiquette requires the wives of Cabinet officers and Congressmen to make the first call on a new Senator's wife, and the wives of the old Senators do the same. The only precedent was the case of Mrs. Pinchback, of Louisiana, who being beautiful and accomplished, was quite a lioness in Washington society a few years ago.

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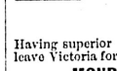

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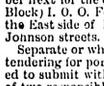

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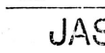
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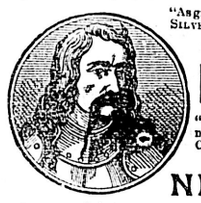

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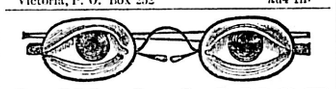

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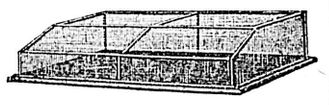

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E. M. FURSTENAU, } Executors.
CHAS. A. SEMLIN, }
Cache Creek, Oct. 1st, 1878. oc6dw

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

CANADA, Province of British Columbia, District of New Westminster.
IN THE COUNTY COURT, NEW WESTMINSTER.
In the matter of G. B. Murray, an Insolvent.
ON TUESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF DECEMBER next, the undersigned will apply to the said Court for a discharge under the said Act.
W. NORMAN BOLE,
no21 Insolvent's Attorney.

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F. REYNOLDS.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 11, 1878. no12

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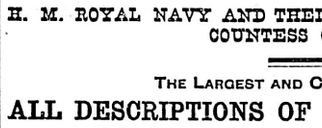

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NEW WESTMINSTER AND YALE
On and from the 1st April next.
Conveyance to be made in a good and sufficient Steamboat, subject at all times to the approval of the Postmaster-General.
From 1st April to 30th November, in each year, to leave New Westminster with the mails on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m. and arrive at Yale on the forenoon of the following days.
To leave Yale on Monday at 10 a. m. and on Friday at 6 a. m., and to arrive at New Westminster on the afternoon of the same days.
The contractor, if necessary to secure a connection with the mail from Barkerville, to defer the departure from Yale for a period not exceeding TWELVE hours.
Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at Westminster, Yale and Victoria, or at the office of the subscriber.
R. WALLACE, P. O. Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office,
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To leave New Westminster on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 8 a. m. and arrive at Victoria on the same days at 4 p. m.
During the winter season the contractor, in the event of the Fraser River being rendered unnavigable by ice, to deliver the mail at the Burrard Inlet Post Office on the afternoon of Tuesdays and Fridays, and to receive the mails from the said Post Office and convey them to Victoria on the following days.
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ASSESSMENT NO. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of the said company, held on the 11th day of November, 1878, an assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the capital stock of the said company, payable on the 19th day of November, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B.C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 17th day of December, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 23d day of January, 1879, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, B.C. no26dw

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE CARIBOO Quartz Mining Company will be held at Barkerville on Tuesday, December 12th, 1878, to receive financial statement and report of Directors; to elect a Board of Directors, and to transact such other business as may be brought before it.
Proxy Forms can be obtained on application to Charles Morton, Langley street, Victoria.
CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, B. C., Nov. 21, 1878. no24dw

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SALE of Delinquent Shares in the above Company has been postponed till the Ninth of December next at 11 a. m., when the same will be sold at the office of George Byrnes, Barkerville. Delinquent Shareholders will please take note of this.
CHARLES WILSON, Sect
Barkerville, Nov. 21, 1878. no24dw

NOTICE.
QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.

THE THIRD ASSESSMENT OF ONE-THIRD OF One Cent per Share on the Capital Stock of the above Company, levied on 15th November, 1878, is now due and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, Quesnelle, B.C., and will be delinquent on 15th December, 1878.
R. J. SKINNER, Secty.
Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Nov., 1878. no24dw1m

NOTICE.
QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED SHARES ARE delinquent in respect of the 2nd Assessment o one-sixth of one cent per share, levied on the 15th October, 1878. These shares, or so many of them as will cover the amount due with interest and expenses, will be sold by Public Auction at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B.C., on Saturday, 7th December, 1878, unless payment with interest and expenses be made before that date.

Name	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.
John R. Tait.....	245	100
A. Barlow.....	202	250
do	455	100
do	456	100
P. Malloy.....	520	320
Douglas R. Wilson.....	517	200
C. Towns.....	520	100
do	521	1000
do	522	45
E. N. Riotte.....	516	500
John Scott.....	481	150
P. Willette.....	440	225
Egerton Sully.....	425	250
do	426	250
J. W. Crawford.....	370	120
do	371	700
Charles McInnes.....	231	200
John W. Johnston.....	230	200
Charles Wilson.....	482	5000
do	483	1000
do	485	1000
do	486	1000
do	487	1000
do	488	1000
do	489	500
do	490	500
do	491	500
do	492	500
do	493	100
do	494	100
do	505	100
do	506	100
do	507	100
do	508	136
Mrs. Minnie Wilson.....	495	100
do	496	100
do	497	100
do	498	400
do	499	50
do	500	50
do	501	50
do	502	50
do	503	50
do	504	50
T. R. Pattullo (not issued)....		13,636
H. B. Eerly (not issued).....		4,445

R. J. SKINNER, Secty.
Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Nov., 1878. no23dw1m

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED.
NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF (10c.) TEN Cents per share on the capital stock of the above Company, levied on the 20th day of November, and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, will be delinquent on the 21st day of December, 1878.
D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 20th, 1878. no21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT APPLICATION WILL BE MADE AT THE next Session to the Legislative Assembly for the passage of a Private Bill to grant facilities to John Fraser Torrence and others for the speedy acquisition of the Title in fee simple to the four Mineral Claims in Cherry Creek District, surveyed by Edgar Dewdney, M. P., and recorded under the names of Fleur de Lis, Silver Lily, St. Michael and St. George in records and
——receipts numbers 7,301, 7,302, 7,303 and 7,304.
or
no20dw J. FRASER TORRANCE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.
NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT NO. 5 OF TWO AND A-HALF Cents per Share, levied this day and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, will be delinquent on 11th November next.
By order of the Board.
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 15th Oct., 1878. oc16dw

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)
NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF ONE-SIXTH of one cent per share on the capital stock of the above company, levied on the 15th October and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, will be delinquent on the 15th November, 1878.
By order of the Directors.
R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Oct., 1878. oc27dw

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).
NO. 2 ASSESSMENT.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF ONE AND A HALF (1½) cents per share on the capital stock of the above company has this day been levied, and is payable at the Company's office at Stanley, or at this office in Victoria, B. C., and will be delinquent on the 2nd December next.
By order of the Directors.
W. W. DODD, Secretary.
Stanley, B. C., 2nd Nov., 1878. no10

I. O. G. T.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LODGE No. 1, I. O. G. T meets every Friday Evening at 8 precisely at their Hall, Yates street.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JAMES SHEPHERD and John Goodacre have entered into partnership, and will carry on business as butchers under the style of Shepherd, Goodacre & Company, in the premises on Yates street, opposite the Alhambra Hall.
JAMES SHEPHERD,
JOHN GOODACRE.
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M. W. T. DRAKE, ESQ. - - - - - Ancient Egypt
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 5th.
THE REV P. JENNS.—"The Microphone," its Physicial Action and Use. Experimentally illustrated.
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 19th.
MR. JUSTICE GRAY.—Due notice of subject will be given
WEDNESDAY, March 5th.
THE VEN. ARCHDEACON WRIGHT.—Abyssinia and the Abyssinians
WEDNESDAY, March 19th.—Not yet settled.
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